LOG OF MEETING
DIRECTORATE FOR ENGINEERING SCIENCES

SUBJECT: ASTM F15.45 Glass Task Group Meeting

DATE OF MEETING: July 24, 2003

PLACE: American Glass Research, Butler, PA

LOG ENTRY SOURCE: Thomas E. Caton, ESME

COMMISSION ATTENDEES: Thomas E. Caton, ESME

NON-COMMISSION ATTENDEES: Linda Allison, SC Johnson & Son, Inc.; Randy Anderson, Libbey; Barron Curry, Anchor Hocking; John Kepple, American Glass Research; Ron Caporali, Consultant; Denny MacLaughlin, Bureau Veritas, Consumer Products Services, Inc

SUMMARY OF MEETING:

The task group met to address negatives received concerning Section 4.1 of ASTM2179-02 “Standard Specification for Annealed Soda-Lime Silicate Glass Containers that are Produced for Use as Candle Containers” from the last balloting of the ASTM committee.

The task group members in attendance agreed to rewrite Section 4.1 as:

"Containers shall be sampled in accordance with C 224 and inspected for visible characteristics that judgement and experience indicate are likely to result in hazardous or unsafe conditions for the end user. These visible characteristics include, but are not limited to:
- sharp edges/points
- checks
- chips
- splits
- stones
- open blisters
- bruise"

This revision is to be reviewed by the task group members companies by September 1, 2003. After September 1, 2003, the revised Section 4.1 will be re-balloted by the Main ASTM F 15 Committee for re-balloting.

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